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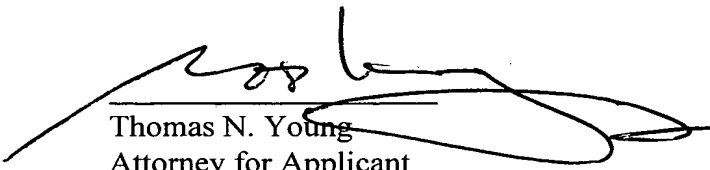
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The Office Action dated November 7, 2001 has been received and carefully reviewed. Please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated below.

In the specification:

[0027] (First Amendment) The preliminary configuration of the busbar 36; i.e., flat, rectangular and planar as shown in Figure 9, is formed by a simple stamping operation. The horizontal dimension as shown in Figure 9 is deemed the longitudinal axis for purposes of description. Thereafter the stabs 82 are bent or folded out of the plane of the plate 80 along fold lines 86 to provide the configuration shown in Figure 8. It will be noted that in this configuration the height of the stabs 82 is independent of the lateral spacing between them. Therefore, tall stabs 82 both legs of which are orthogonal to the plane of plate 80 are formed. Such stabs are suitable for use with